TUMKUR DIVISION.

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th August 1885.

Tenders are hereby invited for restoring Kadagattur tank, registered No. 172, Maddagiri Taluk, estimated to cost Rs. 9,465.

2. The plans, estimates and schedule of rates and conditions may be seen at the office of the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.

3. Sealed tenders in the form attached hereto will be received by the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division, until the 30th September 1885.

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

5. The contractor whose tender is accepted shall have to deposit Rs. 400 with Government within 3 days after the tender is accepted for the due performance of the terms of his contract.

Form of Tender.

I hereby undertake to carry out all works remaining connected with the estimate for restoring the Kadagattur tank in accordance with the plans and specifications and terms entered in the schedule at..... per cent less than the sanctioned Government rates.

Contractor.

C. T. DALIAL,
Executive Engineer.

MYSORE MUNICIPALITY.

Proceedings of the Municipal Board for the Town of Mysore held at the Town Magistrate's Court, on the morning of Thursday, the 7th May 1885, at 7½ o'clock.

Present.	*Absent.*
Vice-President.	**Ex-Officio Members.**
Mr. A. Coopoosawmy Mudaliar.	Civil Surgeon, Mysore.
Ex-Officio Members.	Executive Engineer, Mysore.
The Amildar of Mysore.	Asstt. Commissioner in charge of Palace.
Non-Official Members.	**Non-Official Members.**
Mr. Ibbu Sait.	Mr. M. Ganesa Singh.
Mr. M. S. Puttanna.	Mr. C. Raja Rao.
Mr. Y. Virasangappa.	Mr. Ramanna.
Mr. V. Raghavacharlu.	Mr. Bommaiya.
Mr. Nazaralli Beg.	Mr. H. Nanjundaraj Ars.
Mr. A. Ananda Rao.	Mr. A. Annaiya Pandit.
Mr. Lakshminarapappa.	
Mr. R. Mallappa.	
Mr. Shek Ibrahim.	
Mr. Periyatambi Pille.	
Mr. M. Timmappa.	

Mr. Standish Lee, Sanitary Engineer, was also present.

1. *Monthly Accounts.*

The accounts for the month of March 1885 have been examined and passed.

2. *Municipal Budget for the year* 1885—86.

The budget as prepared by the executive, be examined by a committee consisting of one Member from each Mohalla and submitted to the Board for approval.

3. *Horse allowance to the Police Head and Deputy Inspectors on account of the additional work devolving upon them on account of cholera prevailing in the Town.*

Resolved.—That there is no necessity for the payment of extra allowance to the Police Inspectors for the present.

4. *Regarding the Conservancy of the places where cows are picketted within Municipal limits.*

Resolved.—That owing to the absence of Dr. McGann the discussion of the proposition be deferred till next meeting.

5. *Dr. McGann's letter about extending the Kukarhalli Channel pipes towards Iranagere and Old Agrahar.*

Resolved.—That the Dewan will be pleased to order the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, to supply the requisite iron pipes immediately, to be laid for the extension of water-supply towards Iranagere and Old Agrahar, inasmuch as Mr. Standish Lee undertakes to finish the work at an outlay of Rs. 200.

6. *Grant of permission by the President, for the burial or cremation of any dead body in other than recognized burial or cremation grounds, if applied for on reasonable grounds.*

Resolved.—That the President may accord permission for the burial or cremation of a corpse in any locality other than the recognized burial or cremation grounds, on sufficient grounds being shown, provided that the Medical Officer does not object to the place proposed for such interment or cremation.

7. *Resolution passed by the Fort Drainage Committee on the* 11*th April* 1885.

To be recorded.

8. *Sayer Daroga's report forwarding an estimate for Rs.* 850 *for repairing his office, and suggesting the building of a Koti in the vicinity of Railway Station.*

Resolved.—That, considering that a large amount of about Rs. 900 is required to effect repairs to the present building, which belongs to the Palace, and also to save trouble and annoyance to the tax-payers who are now obliged to take their goods to the said building which lies in the north-east corner of the town, a suitable building be constructed at some convenient locality between the Railway Station and the Town, and that a plan and estimate be prepared and submitted for approval by the Board.

9. *Dewan's Proceedings No.* 6346-54—136, *dated* 10*th February* 1885, *regarding tax to be levied on carts, and reconsideration of the taxes on carriages, carts, horses, ponies and bullocks.*

Resolved.—That all the rules relating to the subject be circulated to the members and the subject matters be deferred till the next meeting.

10. *Letter from Captain Kensington conveying the Dewan's sanction for the transfer of the Kukarhalli Distillery building to the Municipality.*

Resolved.—That the Municipality do take over the charge of the building, and that thanks of the Board be conveyed to the Government.

11. *Dewan's Proceedings dated* 6*th and* 10*th April* 1885, *remarking on the Proceedings of the Board dated* 22*nd December* 1884 *and* 16*th February* 1885.

To be recorded.

12. *Introduction of Bangalore Regulation about remission of a moiety of tax, on notice by owners on unoccupied buildings after* 2 *months' unoccupancy.*

Resolved.—That the following regulation now in force in Bangalore, regarding the levy of taxes on unoccupied buildings, be introduced into this Town.

"When any house shall have been vacant for 60 consecutive days during any year, the President of the Municipal Commission shall remit so much, not exceeding one-half of the rate of that year, as may be proportionate to the number of days the said house may have remained unoccupied: provided that the owner of such house, or his agent, shall have given to the President notice in writing of the vacancy thereof, and that the amount of rate to be remitted shall be calculated from the date of the delivery of such notice."

13. *Resolved.*—That the Amildar of Mysore be asked to favor the Municipality with a copy of a ryot's patta and a draft form of patta or receipt, for adoption in this Municipality, after approval by the Board.

14. *Resolved.*—That with a view to save unnecessary complaints, all parties who may have to appeal against taxation or who may wish to have the former rates altered on altered circumstances, or who may ask for remission, should present their petitions to the Vice-President during the month of September every year, and that no application received afterwards will be attended to during that year's settlement.

15. *A bill for Rs.* 10—8—0 *sent by the Sanitary Engineer being travelling allowance at* 8 *As. per diem for Overseer Mahalingachari, who was employed in taking levels out of the Municipality.*

Resolved.—That the bill be passed, and that when Municipal Overseers or other servants are employed beyond the limits of the Municipality, they are entitled to travelling allowances.

16. *Read letter from the Principal of His Highness the Maharaja's College furnishing extract of the Dewan's orders directing the diversion of Municipal drain from the College compound.*

Resolved.—That, as recommended by the Sanitary Engineer, pipe-drain be laid through the College compound for the carrying away of soiled water from Halladakeri to the main drain in order to remove the stink for the present.

17. *Resolved.*—That Brahmin, Jain, Sivachar and Komati caste people may take water from the two detached cisterns built in the premises of Rangacharlu's Memorial Hall, as they were doing in Kuppanna garden cisterns.

18. *Resolved.*—That the pay of the Hospital Assistant, who is employed for cholera duty in the town, be fixed at Rs. 30 a month.

19. *A bill for Rs.* 29-4 *due to this Municipality by Colonel C. J. Pearse as Municipal tax.*

Resolved.—That, as Colonel Pearse did not reply to a former communication by the executive, requesting for an adjustment of the amount, and as he has refused to receive a second communication, the Board, with regret, submit his case, with the envelope which has been returned from Dead letter office, to the Dewan who will be pleased to take such steps as he may consider proper to recover the amount from Colonel Pearse.

20. *Resolved.*—That ryots and others may remove earth (silt) from the dry bed of Dodkere tank, and that this concession be published by beat of tom tom.

21. *Resolved.*—That sign-boards in large streets should show the name of the Mohalla and the street in English and the vernacular, and the names of unimportant streets, only in vernacular.

22. *Resolved.*—That each street or lane should have numbers of its own; that even numbers should be given to one line and odd numbers to the other line, of a street or lane, and that, when new houses are built between houses already numbered, they should have a sub-number to that of the house adjoining it.

Resolved.—Further, that if there be less than 5 houses in any small lane, it need not be given a separate name, the houses being numbered as part of the street close by.

23. *Resolved.*—That spare copies of the Municipal resolutions received from the Government Press may be preserved in the Municipal office and one set be sent to each Commissioner, once a year, after getting it bound.

24. *Proposed by Mr. Ananda Rao that a Minute book be kept in which all the Proceedings and discussions of each Commissioner on each subject should be entered.*

Resolved.—That the Vice-President ascertain the practice obtaining in Bangalore Municipalities on the subject.

Accounts of the Mysore Municipality for the month of March 1885.

Receipts.	Amount.			Total.			Disbursements.	Amount.			Total.		
Balance on the 1st March 1885. ...				10,127	14	8¾	I. Collection. 1. For octroi...	402	4	6			
							2. ,, mohatarfa ...	189	0	0			
							3. For markets' rent ...	26	0	0			
											617	4	6
I. Octroi ...	4,892	11	3				II. Head Office charges ...	162	6	9			
											162	6	9
II. Tax on houses ...	1,972	1	0				III. Public Works. 1. Supervision.	79	0	0			
							2. Original works ...	6,096	2	8			
III. Tax on professions and trades ...	1,255	14	0				3. Purchase of land ...	80	0	0			
							4. Compensation	8,227	10	6			
IV. Tax on carriages, &c.	163	0	0				5. Repairs ...	711	7	7			
											15,194	4	9
V. Markets' rent ...	589	11	0				IV. Police	1,985	15	10	1,985	15	10
							V. Vaccination ...	12	0	0	12	0	0
VI. Fines ...	0	8	0				VI. Conservancy ...	1,326	10	8	1,326	10	8
							VII. Lighting	564	13	6	564	13	6
VII. Pounds ...	53	3	6				VIII. Miscellaneous. 1. Pound charges ...	20	0	0			
							2. Rewards for destroying cobras & dogs	6	4	0			
VIII. Miscellaneous ...	124	1	1				3. Pension ...	5	11	7			
IX. Advance received from the Government for compensation to house owners ...	12,000	0	0	21,051	1	10	4. Cholera expenses ...	20	0	0			
											51	15	7
							Total Rs.....				19,915	7	7
Total Rs.....				31,179	0	6¾	Balance in hand.....				11,263	8	11¾
							Grand Total Rs.....				31,179	0	6¾

Proceedings of the Municipal Board for the Town of Mysore held at the Town Magistrate's Court on Tuesday morning, the 9th June 1885, at 7½ o'clock.

Present.	*Absent.*
Vice-President.	**Ex-Officio Members.**
Mr. A. Coopoosawmy Mudaliar.	Civil Surgeon, Mysore.
	Executive Engineer, Mysore.
	Assistant Commissioner in charge of Palace Establishments.
Non-Official Members.	Amildar of Mysore.
Mr. Ibbu Sait.	
Mr. Y. Virasangappa.	**Non-Official Members.**
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Mr. Lakshminaranappa.	
Mr. H. Nanjundaraj Ars.	
Mr. A. Annaiya Pandit.	
Mr. R. Mallappa.	
Mr. Shek Ibrahim.	

1. *Monthly Accounts.*

The accounts for the month of April 1885 have been examined and passed with the remark that the Police Assistant Commissioner be asked to state the nature of the duty on which the Head Inspector went to Bangalore during April 1885 and drew batta and whether it was necessary for him to go there.

2. *Municipal Budget for* 1885—86 *as revised by the Sub-Committee.*

Resolved.—That a Canarese translation of the budget be prepared and circulated to the Commissioners and the budget laid before the Board on Tuesday next, the 16th instant, at 7½ o'clock in the morning.

3. *Proceedings of the Dewan No.* 1167, *dated* 13*th May* 1885, *exempting Messrs. Wallace and Appavu Chetti from payment of octroi duty on timber supplied to them by the Government.*

To be recorded.

4. *Letter from Municipal Vice-President, Bangalore, No.* 106, *dated* 16*th May* 1885, *stating that the practice obtaining in Bangalore is to record only the resolutions of the Board and not the whole discussions.*

To be deferred till receipt of the orders of the Dewan on the subject.

5. *Docket No.* 169, *dated* 28*th instant, from the Sanitary Engineer, recommending that the pay of Overseer Mahalingachari be increased from Rs.* 35 *to* 40 *per month.*

Resolved.—That a personal allowance of Rs. 5 per month be given to Overseer Mahalingachari till such time as he may be employed under Mr. Standish Lee.

6. *Letter from Manager, Mysore State Railway, No.* 1291—232, *dated* 29*th April, requesting to be put in possession of the land lately vacated by the oil-mongers as ordered by Dewan.*

Resolved.—That inasmuch as the Board has now paid a moiety of the compensation to the oil-mongers and because the land on which their houses stood originally belonged to the Municipality, in the humble opinion of the Board, the Railway authorities have no better claim to the land in question than the Municipality. The Government may therefore be moved to reconsider the order passed with regard to the land.

7. *Petition from Ganigar Papa requesting that he may be paid compensation for the well constructed by him when the oil-mongers lived near Rajput Ghat.*

Resolved.—That wells having been built at the cost of the Municipality in the locality where the oil-mongers are now located, no compensation can be allowed to the petitioner Ganigar Papa for the well even if it was built at his own cost, which allegation has been denied by others.

8. *Application from the Joint-Secretaries, Rangacharlu's Memorial Fund, requesting that a suitable sum may be contributed by the Municipality towards completing the Memorial Hall.*

Resolved.—That the Committee of Rangacharlu's Memorial Fund be asked to state whether they would be willing to make over charge of the Memorial Hall building and its management to the Municipality were it to contribute funds to complete the building.

9. *Regarding the conservancy of the places where cows are picketted within Municipal limits.*
10. *Regarding plans to accompany the applications for building houses in main and other streets.*

These proposals be deferred for discussion to a future date in anticipation of a Municipal regulation giving legal status to the Board.

11. *Sayer Daroga's report regarding the levy of octroi duty on timber imported from Hunsur with Mafi Rahadari.*

Resolved.—That the weight of a cart-load of timber for the purpose of levying octroi duty be fixed at 25 cubic feet, as was already decided by the Forest Department and acted upon, and that the Hunsur Municipality be asked to insert the quantity in cubic feet in their Mafi Rahadaris, instead of simply stating in them the number of cart-loads for information.

12. *Resolved.*—That a decent pendal be erected about Mr. Báleraj Ars' house in front of the Palace Treasury and that the Town be illuminated on the night of the 23rd June 1865, the Birthday of His Highness the Young Prince and Heir Apparent to the Mysore Throne.

Accounts of the Mysore Municipality for the month of April 1885.

No.	Receipts.	Amount.	Total.	Disbursements.	Amount.	Total.
	Balance of last month brought forward ...	... ...	11,263 8 11¾	I. Collection. 1. For octroi ...	414 0 0	629 0 0
				2. „ mohatarfa ...	189 0 0	
				3. For market rents, &c. ...	26 0 0	
1	Octroi ...	4,413 7 9		II. Head Office Charges. 1. Establishment ...	80 0 0	113 6 4
2	Tax on houses ...	867 1 4		2. Contingencies.	33 6 4	
3	Tax on professions and trades ...	285 12 0		III. Public Works. 1. Supervision.	99 0 0	291 2 3
				2. Original works ...	71 15 3	
				3. Purchase of land ...	... ...	
4	Tax on carriages, &c.	149 8 0		4. Compensation ...	30 0 0	
				5. Repairs ...	90 3 0	
5	License fees for the sale of Europe liquors ...	250 0 0		IV. Police	1,926 14 8	1,926 14 8
6	Markets' rent ...	474 14 8		V. Vaccination ...	12 0 0	12 0 0
				VI. Conservancy ...	1,317 3 7	1,317 3 7
7	Fines ...	4 8 0		VII. Lighting	18 4 0	18 4 0
8	Pounds ...	54 1 0		VIII. Miscellaneous. 1. Cattle pound charges ...	20 0 0	64 13 7
				2. Reward for destroying cobras ...	10 8 0	
9	Miscellaneous ...	216 11 10	6,716 0 7	3. Inferring paupers ...	15 1 0	
				4. Pension ...	5 11 7	
				5. Cholera expenses ...	13 9 0	
	Total.....	... ...	17,979 9 6¾	Total.....	... ...	4,372 12 5
				Balance.....	... ...	13,606 13 1¾
				Grand Total.....	... ...	17,979 9 6¾

A. COOPOOSAWMY MUDALIAR,
Vice-President.